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Robert Z. Lee was a great general, but he was greater in his high and lofty character.

Thomas J. Jackson was a great military genius. He was greater in his moral force and religious fervor.

Their names are imperishable because of the high plane on which they lived, and their monuments in our capitol city are perpetual sermons to every one to live a noble life.

William McKinley was a great statesman and filled the high office to which he was called with unsurpassed ability, but his great worth to our nation was his pure character and fervent religious

If we are going to build a monument to any man as a mocel and an inspiration to our people and especially to our young men, let us pause and ask ourselves, was he great in the true sense of the word? He may have taken a city, he may have won distinction on the field of battle, he may have been a great statesman, may have had persuasive oratory, but if he did not rule his own spirit and did not live upon the highest moral plane, was he worthy of our emulation?

Let us keep before our rising generations the highest ideals and none other.

THE Everett Waddey Company of Richmond announces the speedy issuance of a new edition of dayo's Guide prepared by Messrs.

Garland Pollard and Christopher B. Garnett. The work whick these two gentlemen have already done, and done so well, in the preparation of Pollard's Code is a guarantee of equally good work in the preparation of this much needed gnide. At present there is no Magistrate's Guide which is up to date. The last edition of Hurst's Guide was issued taken. too soon and can hardly be considered any improvement at all on the old Hurst's Guide. There is no more important book in the land than a good, plain, well-arranged and well indexed guide for Justices of the Peace. For there is no class of officials upon whose intelligence and integrity so much the peace and good order of depends as upon these of-And there are probably ung men in the whole

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gation of the New Order.

There was much surprise a mong the members of the Royal Arcanum order here yesterday, occasioned by the announcement that the Supreme Council had decided to raise the rate of assessment upon the members.

new order, which will be e on October 1, 1905, prothat members who are sixty-five years of age and over should pay as much as \$16.08 per month for \$3,000 policies.

There are a great many members of the order in this city, and they discussed the matter serious ly with one another last night.

It is believed by some that the order will lose thousands of members by the move, and yet it is ney of Gloucester county. The ly and am always glad to get it held by others that the action of the Supreme Council was necessary to take care of the policyholders for the future.

In addition to the increase of the assessments of members over sixty-five years of age, an entirely gated for all classes of members, making a graduated increase all along the line. There are four alternative propositions in the new table, but in each of them the member finds that the cost of carrying the insurance is a good deal higher than heretofore.

For instance, a member holding a \$3,000 policy, on attaining the age of sixty-five, must pay \$16.08 a month or resort to some of the options, which are little more satisfactory from a monetary standpoint. Every member initiated prior to October 1, 1905, is granted the privilege of six months from October 1, 1905, or until March 31, to decide which of the four options he will select, or whether he will continue to pay assessments as named in the table of regular rates adopted May, 1905. Every member of the order in good standing on the first day of October, 1905, selecting the regular table of rates, will be required to pay assessments in future, at his attained age on said first day of October, 1905, computed from his nearest birthday. Illustration: A member who joined the order at the age of twentyfive and has been a member, say for fifteen years, will pay assessments after October 1, 1905, as at the age of forty years, and continue to pay the assessment at age forty until he reaches sixtyfive years af age, when he will pay assessment at sixty-five as long as he remains a member.

Gentlemen high up in the order mond. said that they were not greatly surprised at the action of the Supreme Council, as the matter had been under advisement for at least two years. Again it is known that other orders run on a similar basis have taken like action in order to protect their members.

Said one of the Arcanumites: Something had to be done.

"While it is true that we have reserve fund of \$200,000,000, it is, nevertheless, true that it was found that we had started out with our basis too low, and assessments had to be raised for the benefit of our members.

"We had to look to the future, and I have no doubt the members of the Supreme Council saw ground, unless some steps were

There are about 9,000 members of the order in Virginia.

The matter has created something of a stir among the members of the order.-Times-Dis-

A CARD OF THANKS.

I have received such expressions of kindness from Beulah Church in the past few days I desire to thank them through the columns of your paper.

A party of young ladies consisting of Ada Hudgins, May Hutson,

gins, heared by Bro. of the Methodis Geo. Hutson and son came to the Church (South) Nov. 1897 parsonage a few days ago with a sent by the presiding bishop to loaded wagon containing one bbl. Dorchester Co., Md. where I flour, several hams, groceries and spent three very pleasant years. vegetables in no small quantities. Six of the seven years of my min-A good sister of the same neigh- istry were spent on the Eastern borhood sent in a hen and chick- Shore of Maryland. At the last ens only a few days ago.

session of our conference held at I may mention that heavy drops Lynchburg Va., I was assigned fell from Bethel and St. Pauls be- by Bishop Wilson to East Frank- and again asking a favorable verdict fore the shower came from Beu- lin Circuit which is located in the charged for at Surprise is Caused By Promul. lah. Beth, sent us a flock of mountains of the Old Dominion. hens some time ago, and the This is the prettiest country I evgood members of St. Paul, and er saw, farms are large and proneighbors who live near us are ductive, I am told that there are continually looking after our as many as seven hundred acres needs and comfort.

ful minister of the gospel.

BRISTOW -- CHRISTIAN.

new schedule has been promul- home in Gloucester County .-Free Lance.

THE MATHEWS COUNTY VA. FITZHUGH LEE MON-UMENT FUND.

Names of children contributing to the Fitzhugh Lee monument fund since our last issue:

Elwood E. Callis, Pauline Inez C. Carney, Ola Mary Agnes Ruth H. Richardson, S. Elliatt G. Lee Diggs. Edgar L. ,, Leonard H. Moss, Lillian Violet Edwin Davis, Elisa Frances Gladys Charles Marian Weston, Robert A. Billups, Hazel Estelle ,,

As the undersigned should like to see all the children in Mathews County subscribe to the Fitzhugh Lee Monument fund, he will be glad to receive a penny from each child, (whose name will appear in the columns of the Journal) and will foward contributions to the committee in Rich-

Giles B. Cooke,

Rector of Kingston Parish.

Mrs. Mary E. Hunley Dead.

Mrs. Mary E. Hunley, relict of the late Rev. T. M. Hunley and mother of Hon. Geo. Y. Hunley, died at her home, Magnolia, on Hanley had been paraylized some two or three weeks ago and her death was not unexpected. On Tuesday, at 2 P. M., Revs. Jno. O. Moss and C. H. Williams conducted the funeral services at the home of the deceased and the in- the free and the home of the brave" terment was had at the cemetery that in the end we would run a- at Trinity church. Messrs. S. F. Miller, Edwin Foster, Berten Louis, T. J. Sibley, Jno. J. Burke and L. C. Garnett acted as pallbearers. Mrs. Hunley was 76 years of age when she died and leaves surviving her one brother, Capt. G. F. Miller Sr., and the following children: Messrs. Booker and Levoy Hunley, Hon. Geo. Y. Hunley, Mesdames S. F. Miller, J. R. Thurston, Edwin Foster and Miss Mollie Hunley.

Dear Mr. Editor:

I am one of Mathews' boys, born and reared in Milford Haven choice of the people of Mathews and Hutson, Rachael Jarvis, near "Diggs"entered the ministry Middlesex as expressed by them in and Rilie, Woods X Roads Va

in one farm. Labor is plentiful It is pleasant to serve such an and cheap, you can get colored appreciative people. I trust that labor for fifty cents a day and they these tokens of kindness may work from sun to sun. The peomake me a more devoted and use- ple are hospitable and kind, very much like those of the Tidewater W. L. Ware. section. I get homesick occasionally, no pills or powder can od may be adopted for making cure it. The only remidy for it Thursday at the home of the (or the only one I have found) is bride in Baltimore, Miss Emerald to go home. I have been accus-Alvin Christian, daughter of the tomed to fish and oysters all late Dr. John Hunt Christian, my life but am deprived of all of was married to Mr. Myron Edison these now. I get the Journal ev-Bristow, Commonwealth's Attor- ery Saturday or Monday regularbride walked to the altar with her It is like a letter from home, I rebrother, Mr. Charles M. Christian joice to read of the interest maniof New York, who gave her in fested by the people of Mathews marriage. A wedding breakfast in the educational movement in was served after the service. Mr. our county. The people need edand Mrs. Bristow will make their ucating along this line. I was grieved to read an account of Coles Sleet's death in your paper. We were school mates together and also in the dry goods business together in Norfolk. I thought a great deal of him and regarded him as one of my best friends. Life is uncertain and death is sure. I wish the Journal the best of success. What has become of your correspondent down at Diggs? am especially interested in the news from that point. I close by saying God bless the people of Mathews temporally, spiritually, and physically. Yours truly,

J. Edw. Brooks.

Union Hall Va. June 10, 1905.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Port Haywood, Mathews Co., Va., June 10, 1905. My fellow citizens of Mathews and Middlesex counties:

Having an ambition to represent you in the House of Delegates of Virginia, I thus announce my candidacy and earnestly solicit your cordial support. If you shall believe that, in the event of my nomination and subsequent election, I will make you an honest, capable and courteous Legislator, I respectfully request that you cast your votes for me at the approaching Democratic primary. And in turn, believing as I do in "equal rights to all and special privileges to none," I pledge myself, in my official capacity, toknow neither friend nor foe, nor ask the politics of any man, but to labor solely, as I shall see it, in the interest of such wholesome measures as shall best tend to advance the moral well-being, promote the prosperity and increase the happiness of the toil worn masses of

the people of my district. I scorn the political supple-jack and despise the double dealing of gum-shoe partizans. I shall enter into no combination of any description in order to win votes. As has been my custom from my youth up, I shall continue to wear no man's collar but my own, belast Sunday afternoon. Mrs. lieving that in politics, as out of it, to use a homely phrase, "each tub should stand on its own bottom and each herring hang by its own tail."

"I am not among those who fear to trust the people" -for just in proportion as we fail to get closer to the working people and to understand better the laboridg people's needs, will our country cease to be the "land of and become instead, the land of the Serf and the home of the Slave.

To my record in office as the recent Treasurer of Mathews County, I point with laudable pride and cite it as abundant evidence of my fidelity in preserving untarnished a Public Trust committed to my keeping.

In an active canvas of both Counties, it is my desire to meet the people, and my purpose to then discuss before them those great questions that so vitally concern the citizens of our Tidewater Section. And in doing so I shall "Hew to the line, let the chips fall where they may"-asking no ornament for my sword save the notches on the blade, but keeping ever before me the satisfying consciousness that "to the right is better far than heaps of gold and silver are."

If elected, I shall support (as any other honorable man would) for the office of United States Senator,

Under no circumstances will I re-

tire from the race. Having put my hand to the plow, I shall surely not look backward, but on the other hand from now on, I shall diligently endeavor to effect a proper and complete organization of my friends and sup-

And now with an aliding faith in your wise and impartial judgment, at your hands, I cheerfully submit my claims for the enlightened and patriotic consideration and determination of the people of Mathews and

G. E. T. LANE.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

TO THE PEOPLE OF MATHEWS AND MIDDLESEX:

I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to the House of Delegates, subject to approval by the Democrats of said counties, by whatever meththeir nomination.

Grateful for the honor conferred upon me in the past, I shall feel much pride in having the endorsement of the people of Mathews and Middlesex to represent them for another term. It shall be my ambition to so represent my constituents as to be worthy of this approval and endorsement at their hands.

Geo. Y. Hunley.

Mr. Stubbs' Announcement

To the Democratic voters of the 39th Senatorial District of Virginia, composed of the counties of King and Queen, Essex, Middlesex, Mathews and Glou-

I am a candidate for the Senate of Virginia, subject to the decision of the Democratic primary, to be held in the future. I will soon publish a card, giving my views on the leading questions in this campaign.

J. N. Stubbs.

Woods X Roads, Va. April 17, 1905.

Senator Sears Announcement

Mathews, Va,, April 10, 1905. To my fellow-democrats of the 39th Senatorial district:

I hereby formally announce my candidacy for the Democratic nomination for the office of State Senator from the 39th Senatorial

Four years ago you honored he me with your confidence and a seat in the Senate of Virginia. My ambition again prompts me r to ask of you my return to this high position.

As your representive I made, Nhen we started in 1896 every effort to faithfully discharge unsas could have attended every duty and responsibility resting upon me, and if you shall a-v gain honor me I will endeavor to be deserving of your confidence rationen to roll it. The and esteem.

Very truly yours, J. Boyd Sears

ANNOUNCEMENT.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF the MATHEWS AND MIDDLESEX COUNT

I hereby announce myself mey candidate subject to the action e the democratic primary soon be held, to represent the coul ties of Mathews and Middlesexnch go the next House of Delegates wie Virginia.

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